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ONICHTCHOUK, Daria, et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1656  
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Filed: December 20, 2005 )  
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For: Use of dg931 protein for)   
treating diabetes, obesity )  
and metabolic syndrome )

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This Request is being submitted for the purpose of correcting an error appearing on the Filing Receipt mailed August 16, 2006. Applicant respectfully requests the following correction to the Filing Receipt:

The Filing Receipt indicates the first named applicant as "Darla Onichtchouk". However, the first named applicant is "Daria Onichtchouk". Each of the Declaration, Information Disclosure Statement, Assignment, and Power of Attorney Documents submitted prior to the mailing of the Filing Receipt, list "Daria Onichtchouk" as the first named applicant. We have enclosed copies of the Assignment Document and the Office's Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document, both of which indicate "Daria

Onichtchouk" as an assignor. Therefore, Applicant requests a correction indicating "Daria Onichtchouk" as the first named applicant.

Applicant notes that the original Filing Receipt from which the enclosed corrected copy was made, has the Attorney Docket Number corrected by hand. This number has been updated via Private PAIR and therefore Applicant respectfully asks the Office to disregard the Attorney Docket Number correction on the enclosed corrected copy.

It is believed that there are no fees due for this request. If this is not the case, please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 502235. The Office may contact Applicant's representative at (858) 200-0586 for additional clarification.

Respectfully submitted,



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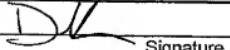
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ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS**, I, Daria Onichtchouk, a citizen of the Russian Federation, and I, Tri Nguyen, a citizen of the United States of America, hereinafter referred to as the "Assignors," are the inventors of a certain invention titled "Use of a DG931 Protein Product for Preventing and Treating Diabetes and/or Obesity and/or Metabolic Syndrome" for which a Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) Patent Application was filed on March 31, 2004 and designated Serial Number PCT/EP2004/003417; and a United States national phase Utility Patent Application will be filed on or by September 30, 2005 and designated a Serial number that is yet to be determined; and

**WHEREAS**, DeveloGen Aktiengesellschaft., a German company, whose office is located at Rudolf-Wissell-Str. 28, 37079 Goettingen, Germany, herein referred to as "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same.

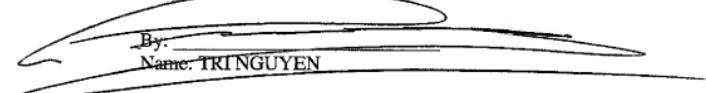
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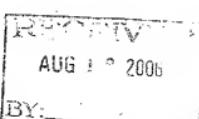
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